

RECOVERY IN BACON PRICE IS FORESEEN

Y.M.C.A. Asks Funds For Overseas Work



J. O. LITTLE

The Y.M.C.A. will make an appeal to Newmarket citizens for money for its overseas work the week of April 15. J. O. Little, chairman of the organizing committee, informed Newmarket Lions club on Monday evening.

"The Y.M.C.A. is one branch of the army effort, together with the Salvation Army and the Red Cross," said Mr. Little. "We in this country have not yet realized that we are at war. We haven't had any pinch, any hardship yet. When we consider the sacrifices which the young men going overseas are making, it is the least I can do to accept this responsibility and to call for volunteers to carry on this campaign."

"I feel that the sacrifices which we have made for the Red Cross and the Salvation Army will not affect our gifts to the Y.M.C.A. In England ten cents out of every dollar earned by the ordinary man is going into the war chest. Our sacrifices are light in comparison."

"On the 15th there will be a campaign in the town of Newmarket for the Y.M.C.A."

"In Newmarket we should have unity in every object for the prosecution of this war. We should have unity in this Y.M.C.A. drive. I was against Mackenzie King in the election, but now, in the interests of unity, I am going to support him."

"The veterans of the town said at a meeting of some of the business men with a Y.M.C.A. representative, Mr. W. H. Scott, 'If you put this thing on, the veterans of the town are behind you,'" said W. L. Bosworth.

"The Y.M.C.A. are doing a great job and we in this club should support them."

"This war is different and the work of the Y.M.C.A. will be different. Their work will be to entertain the soldiers, and it will be very important."

"It is the duty of soldiers to grouse, and we found holes in the Y.M.C.A.," said Alex. Eves, a war veteran and past president of the Lions club. "There were little faults but the Y.M.C.A. were always at our service. The Y.M.C.A. will have the support of the veterans."

Mr. Eves himself took part in the Y.M.C.A. entertainment work. "The Y.M.C.A. was misunderstood," said Jack Luck, president of the club. "They sold things to the soldiers, but a balance of \$4,000 which they had on hand at the end of the war was turned over to the government for use for soldier services."

"I had many a cup of coffee at the Y.M.C.A.," said W. M. Cockburn, another veteran. "They did a grand job. There were fellows in the Y.M.C.A. huts, loaned to the Y.M.C.A. by the army, who did things which the Y.M.C.A. was blamed for, but it was not the organization."

"The Y.M.C.A. sold \$20,000,000 worth of goods," said Mr. Bosworth. "Out of that money thousands of dollars were used for entertainment of the boys."

WAR SURGEONS' DEXTERITY NOW AIDS CRIPPLES

LIONS INVITED TO JOIN ONTARIO SOCIETY FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN

TELLS OF WORK

"A child's health will be impaired and his whole outlook will be affected if his eyesight is neglected," R. W. Hopper, executive secretary, Ontario Society for Crippled Children, told the Lions club on Monday evening.

"Eyesight is a particular concern of Lions clubs," he remarked.

"There are 135 service clubs in Ontario, helping 5,000 children a year," he said.

Mr. Hopper told of the difference in outlook which had come to a boy whose hair-lip had been corrected. "His speech improved, other boys stopped making fun of him, he stopped playing truant, and he was a different boy. He would be a different citizen. His chances in life would be tremendously improved."

"It is only since the last war that surgeons, using the experience they gained then, have been able to perform these corrective operations," he said.

Fear of hospitals and doctors on the part of rural parents who cannot afford to pay for private attention is unfounded, he said. Public patients receive attention of the very best doctors and surgeons, for it is considered an honor to hold these hospital positions. The surgeons give their services free.

Mr. Hopper told of one young surgeon who had performed 10,000 free operations in ten years.

"Crippled people want to earn their own living," said Mr. Hopper. "We have three crippled girls in our office. There is something different about their work. They are not thinking about the color of their nail-polish. Their job is their big chance."

The Ontario Society for Crippled Children which exists to encourage and carry on work for cripples, receives a grant from the Ontario government, and also receives 50 cents per member from many of the service clubs of Ontario.

Mr. Hopper spoke highly of the work of the Newmarket Lions club, citing specific cases in which the club's intervention had meant an entirely new life for assisted youngsters.

"You can do this work better than could a paid government employee," he said.

Mr. Hopper invited the club to renew its membership in the Society for Crippled Children.

FLOWER DEMONSTRATION WILL BE GIVEN TONIGHT

The Home and School Association flower demonstration by Mrs. Percy Waters takes place this evening in St. Paul's parish hall at 8 o'clock. There will be an orchestra in attendance and refreshments will be served.

RECALLS MARKET DAYS, ON 90TH BIRTHDAY

Next Tuesday, Mrs. E. Rose, 32 Millard Ave., will reach her 90th mile-stone. Mrs. Rose, who spent her early days around Utica and Ormiston, came to this district soon after her marriage and has lived within driving distance of Newmarket ever since.

Mrs. Rose can tell of early experiences of bringing her produce to market under all kinds of weather conditions. She is in splendid health, enjoys life, keeps busy round the house and with her knitting, and can still make wonderful pies.

Mrs. Rose will be glad to see any of her friends next Tuesday afternoon or evening.

MEDICAL MAN BUILDS GORHAM ST. HOME

Dr. J. C. R. Edwards will build a new home for himself and family on the south side of Gorham St., in Whitchurch township, on property purchased from Albert Marsh. Dr. Edwards' office will continue to be at his present residence. His offices will be extended, and the rest of the house will be converted into apartments.

FEELS BETTER

W. H. Eves, who has been ill, is about town again, and attended the Newmarket Lions club on Monday evening. Mr. Eves had missed two meetings because of illness.

HOCKEY CLUB HOLDS SECOND DANCE

About 175 people enjoyed the hockey club dance held at the Walnut View Rendezvous on Tuesday evening. Ken Ponting and his orchestra supplied the music. It was the second dance of the season. They expect to hold another dance in two weeks' time, on April 23.

HOCKEY STAR COMES HOME FOR SUMMER

Herbie Cain, hockey player for the Boston Bruins, returned to Newmarket on Tuesday evening. He and Mrs. Cain will spend the summer here.

BUILDS GARAGE

W. L. Stephens, Newmarket builder, has the contract for construction of a McColl-Frontenac service station, garage and showroom at Lansing for Lauria Motors, formerly of Newmarket.

Prayer For Outcome Of War Urged For Coming Sunday



MAYOR BOYD

In the light of what has happened to Denmark and Norway, and knowing full well that all that stands between us and a similar fate is the strong arm of the British navy, I call upon all Christian people in Newmarket, on the coming Sabbath day, April 14, to pray, collectively in the churches and individually in their homes, to Almighty God.

This war is a struggle of Christian nations, who believe in God and Jesus Christ, against enemies who put their faith in strength of armaments, combined with political deceit and excessive cruelty in warfare.

(SIGNED) S. J. BOYD, M.D., MAYOR.

Something Must Be Done About Main St., Business Men State

PREFERENCE OF FARMERS WILL BE CONSULTED BEFORE RETURNING TO FRIDAY MARKET IN FALL. TRADE BOARD DECIDES

CONSIDER IMPROVED PARKING FACILITIES

Decision to take a poll of the opinion of the farmers attending the market before returning to the Friday afternoon market in the fall, was made at a meeting of the Newmarket board of trade in the council chamber on Monday evening. President Alex. Eves was in the chair.

The Friday afternoon markets come to an end for the present at the end of April, with the change to daylight saving time.

Whether there will be a Saturday morning market or a Friday afternoon market next winter will thus depend on the preferences of the farmers attending the market.

Everybody seemed agreed that an afternoon market would not suit the farmers in the summer, but some seemed to think that in the winter it would be preferable. It would mean a better market, said Aubrey Lyons, who had been talking to some of the farmers. Often farmers couldn't get their cars going in time to attend an early market in the winter, he said, and farmers living at a distance were particularly at a disadvantage.

Main St. parking problems were discussed, and it was decided to take some suggestions to the town council.

"First we must get the merchants' own cars off the street," said Mr. Eves.

Those present did not favor enforcement of limited parking regulations, but suggested provision of properly lighted and supervised parking facilities near Main St.

A committee consisting of Mr. Eves, J. O. Little and Harry Bell will wait on the town council next Monday evening to suggest that the council approach W. L. Bosworth to obtain use of his parking lot on the north side of Botsford St., that this lot and the market square be well lighted, that a man be engaged to supervise the parking on Saturday nights, and that lavatory facilities be provided for both men and women at the market building.

The deputation will also ask the town council what would be the cost of the proposed removal of a foot and a half from the sidewalk on both sides of Main St. and possibly discuss the use of Widdifield Park for parking.

"Huron St. is now a county road and when it is paved, Main St., which is also a county road, will be thrown back on the town, to keep up, unless we make an effort to clean up the Main St. parking situation," warned J. O. Little, an ex-warden of the county.

Two other suggestions, provision of a centrally located bandstand for Saturday night open-air band concerts, and Saturday night dances for the young people of town and district, were discussed and will be discussed again at the next meeting.

It was agreed that the board of trade would meet the second Monday in every month at 8:30 p.m.

SOLICITOR SAYS PEOPLE'S VOTE STANDS IN WAY

RUMOR TOWN IS TO HAVE LIQUOR STORE BELIEVED JUST RUMOR

Rumors that Newmarket is to have a liquor store seem to be without good foundation. Newmarket is a local option town and it is believed that a liquor store could not be established without a vote of the people.

Queried on this point by The Era, Town Solicitor N. L. Mathews, K.C., said: "I do not see how it could possibly be done under the present law without a vote of the people."

The rumor is accounted for by the fact that the provincial savings branch discontinued business here without any reason given. It is believed that the branch was doing a good business.

It is also said that the provincial government which uses the upstairs for the agricultural representative's office and has used the downstairs for the bank, has a lease from David Lipsom, now of Detroit, which will run for another six or seven years.

The Canadian trade had been using some American hogs to supply the home market and thus release Canadian bacon to enable the bacon board to fill its contract with Britain.

Last weekend hog prices dropped off 50 cents a hundredweight, and the bacon board was meeting early this week to see what should be done. Then cutting off the Danish supply ended the problem.

British had been just about ready to cut down imports from Denmark and other non-Canadian sources.

"The present agreement with Britain lasts until Oct. 31, 1940, and sets a price of \$18.01 a hundredweight at the seaboard for Wiltshire sides. While the bacon board sells to Britain on a flat rate, it buys from the packers on a graded basis, with a margin of about 70 cents to build up a fund to enable them to step up the price during the summer months when there is normally a light run of hogs.

"Under the present agreement the possible range of price to the producer is very limited. The Danish development is likely to bring back the price to \$9. It has been down to \$3.00 off-truck at Toronto. The dressed weight price works out to four-thirds of the live-weight."

Mr. Cockburn said that about 50 per cent of all York county hogs are now being sold on a rail-grade basis, and that 85 per cent of all York county hogs will be in the top two grades. With increased education, and knowledge of finish and weights, Mr. Cockburn hopes that York county producers will be able to step up the percentage in the top grade, so these hogs will qualify for the one dollar premium.

Mrs. Rutledge was predeceased by two brothers, Charles, Regina, and Steven, Toronto.

Selena Traviss, wife of William Edward Rutledge, died at her home on Wellington St. on Monday morning, in her 67th year.

She is survived by her husband, three sons and three daughters, Albert Edward, Vancouver, William Alexander and Mary Annie, Hamilton, Mrs. Allan Mills (Selena Lorine), Kathleen Elizabeth and Harold Borden, Newmarket, one sister, Mrs. Frank Cunningham (Elizabeth), Holt, and two grandchildren, James Albert Rutledge and William Henry Mills, Newmarket.

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Selena Traviss was born at Holt, the eldest daughter of Mary Elizabeth Howard and James Albert Traviss.

Following her marriage to William Edward Rutledge in 1903, Mr. and Mrs. Rutledge moved to the farm now occupied by Phil Hamilton. In 1909 they moved to Newmarket, where they have made their home ever since.

Nine years ago Mrs. Rutledge suffered a paralytic stroke and, although an invalid, still maintained a keen interest in her family life and friends. She was a member of Trinity United church and always took an active interest in the church.

But, the achievement of which the W.A. is most proud is woven rugs made from the countless strips that have been sewed together week by week.

If there are more than is needed to send to headquarters, the W.A. will gladly sell them. But come at any rate to see them, and come also to the rummage sale next Thursday and stay for a cup of tea.

JOINS R.C.M.P.

Walter Doane, son of S. F. Doane, Yonge St., who has been employed as a guard at the Ontario Hospital, Whitby, has tendered his resignation and has accepted call from the R.C.M.P.

Mr. Doane has left for Regina for six months training before going overseas.

FOMER NEWMARKET BOY DIES IN PORT HURON

Suffering from a stroke two years ago, Henry Moss Fogal, a former resident of Newmarket, passed away on Sunday, March 31, at his home in Port Huron, Mich.

He is survived by his wife, Lucille Eade, two daughters, Lucille and Eileen, a son, Marvin, one granddaughter, Wanda, one sister, Mrs. R. Fleisher (Gretta), one brother, Frank, all of Port Huron, his mother, a sister, Annie, and two brothers, Earl and Bruce of Newmarket.

IS IMPROVING

Mrs. Lawrence Molyneaux, who has been seriously ill in York county hospital, is improving.

Invasion Of Denmark Expected To Bring Back Bacon Price

SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION MEETS TOMORROW

The Newmarket Softball Association will have their annual spring meeting in the council chambers at 7:30 p.m., on Friday, April 12, for the purpose of electing officers for 1940 and then discussing in general the softball situation for the coming season. All interested are asked kindly to be on hand.

NATURE FIRES GUN IN SALUTE TO SPRING

A noise like the crack of a gun startled citizens early Monday evening.

It was the break-up of winter, for the noise was caused by ice at the pond cracking and piling over the dam on Water St. The Era learned from Chief Constable James Sloss.

A rumor that youngsters were experimenting with a homemade bomb and another that town employees were dynamiting the ice were both incorrect.

BLIND BUT SAYS NO REASON FOR DESPAIR

"We are pressed on every side, yet not straitened; perplexed, yet not unto despair." — 2 Cor. 4:8.

With this text D. B. Lawley, field secretary for the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, himself a blind man, told a cheering story of what blind and handicapped people had accomplished in the world, in an address at Trinity United church on Sunday morning.

Mr. Lawley lost his sight in a mine in northern Ontario in his student days. H. A. Jackson, who had charge of

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SLOT-MACHINE'S SUCCESSOR

An idea of the toll taken by the slot-machine is gathered from the fee which owners of these machines are willing to pay as a license. We did not know it of our own knowledge but we learn from the Renfrew Mercury that Bracebridge set license fees of \$4,000 for the first machine and \$10 for each additional machine operated by the same person. One would think that there would be no more slot-machines in Bracebridge. A citizen came forward and took out licenses for 15 machines, paying the town \$4,140. If that story is true, it means that the man who made that investment was satisfied that each of those machines would average a profit of over the \$276 required to pay the license in the course of a year. One may guess that the licensee expected a return of two or three times that amount, for it is to be remembered that not only the licensee but the company owning the machine expects a rake-off. Orillia last year licensed 14 slot-machines at \$100 each.

People will now understand that Newmarket police were not being narrow-minded puritanical cranks when they drove the slot-machines out of Newmarket. They are protecting youth from petty losses which might lead to pilfering and dishonesty, they are protecting at least some older people from losses which they could ill afford, and they are protecting the community as a whole from a serious drain on its income. The license fees so cheerfully paid in Bracebridge suggest that a Red Cross war-work drive would take considerably less money out of a town like Bracebridge or Newmarket than would unrestricted slot-machines in the course of a year.

MORE ABOUT "P. R."

Proportional representation and the alternative vote, as used in Alberta, were discussed in last week's Era. The chief advantage of these newer methods of voting is that they give minority opinion a chance to gain representation in parliament, and we believe that that is a good thing. Conversely, we suppose that the chief advantage of the ordinary method of voting is that it tends to exaggerate public opinion, and to give the leading party a majority, and the country stable government, that is, the party which gets the largest popular vote usually gets a good deal more than its share of seats. In the 1940 election that wasn't needed because the party receiving the largest popular vote received a majority of the popular vote and would have had a majority of members even if our system didn't tend to favor the party with the largest vote. In every other of the six elections since 1921 that little bit of help for the leading party was needed to give the leading party a working majority.

These interesting figures are taken from the Financial Post:

	Lib.	Lib.	Con.	Con.	Other	Other
	Vote	Seats	Vote	Seats	Vote	Seats
1921	42	47	31	20	27	35
1925	40	41	46	47	13	11
(Liberal-Progressive coalition govt.)	43	47	46	37	11	16
1926	44	35	50	56	7	8
(Liberal-Progressive coalition govt.)	47	70	30	16	24	14
1930	54	75	31	16	15	11

COLLIS LEATHER EMPLOYEES' BONUS

Aurora employees of the Collis Leather Co. shared in the \$350,000 bonus to employees of Canada Packers Ltd. This amount was divided among 5,400 employees. The 1940 bonus was the largest in the company's history. Last year the total bonus was \$215,905 and in 1938 it was \$192,490. In 1937, however, it was \$511,572. It is explained that the practice of Canada Packers, after determining the net profit for the year, is first to allow six per cent to shareholders on their investment and then to divide the balance equally between shareholders and employees. That seems an enlightened policy. If the company would also work out a way of paying a dividend to the farmers from whom it has purchased it would earn a great deal of good-will from the farm community on whom it is dependent. Farmers have not shared largely in increased prices for meats, nor in the 55 per cent increase in the price of hides over a year ago.

The new Reynaud government in France announced drastic measures against communists. At the beginning of the war communist deputies were expelled from the French parliament. The Reynaud government is now imprisoning these deputies and has decreed the death sentence for anyone engaged in communist propaganda activities. This was in marked contrast to the tolerant attitude of Britain and Britishers toward communists, so long as they do not advocate forcible overthrow of the existing form of government.

"Well, it's not our way, I must say," said Mrs. Woody. "I certainly can't imagine anyone having a mentality that would enable them to hatch their young right on the ground."

"Now, now, my dear," remonstrated Mr. Woodpecker. "They are very beautiful and useful birds. They get their food from the ground and they eat insects just as we do, and so they help the farmers a good deal."

"Oh, I like them all right," Mrs. Woody assured him. "It's just that at this time of year I am especially conscious of the fact that some of us are so much more enlightened than others about child care."

"You know there are a num-

ber of different schools of nest-

ing thought," Woody reminded her. "And our tree hole school is by no means the most popular."

The great majority favor the open nests in trees or bushes, and that school includes some very careful housekeepers like the Robins, too. And the ground school, for that matter, includes a number of very fine birds, like the Meadowlark and the Horned Lark, the Bobolink, some of the Sparrows and a good many of the Warblers, to mention only a few."

"I see someone who's just re-

turned to our fair town, whom I'm not at all glad to see," Woody announced solemnly a moment afterwards.

"In the field there," said Woody. "The nasty creature. I think the Cowbirds are one of the most de-

generate types of the feathered world. Imagine not caring enough about your family to build a nest for them or bring them up, and just lay your eggs in other birds' nests and in doing so cause the murder of the rest of the brood. Because the Cowbird egg hatches earlier and the young one therefore grows faster and gets most of the food and then dumps the other young ones out of the nest."

"It's revolving all right," agreed Woody. "We won't speak to her, or welcome her back from the south."

"I should say not," said Mrs. Woody. "I wouldn't speak to her if she were the last bird on earth. There's a male Cowbird with her. Look how his black head and neck shine. The female, with that ashy brown coat, isn't a bit pretty, but the male doesn't look too hideous, considering what a wicked heart he has underneath."

"There goes one of the Cowbirds' cousins, the Red-winged Blackbird," Woody told his mate.

"He's as nice a type of bird as you'd want to meet and everyone is glad to hear his cheerful banjo notes singing in the swamp. I suppose he's making for the Fairy Lake district now."

"Flying feathers!" Mrs. Woody exclaimed suddenly in distressed tones. "I promised Merry Chickadee I'd go with her to pay a 'welcome back' call on one of the Meadowlark ladies that is going to summer here. She just got here yesterday and doesn't seem to know many people. She's quite a young thing, too. I'm going to be later than I said I'd be. We were to meet over on the Specialty flats. See you later."

While operating a band saw at Cane's factory last week Donald Morrison received an ugly gash in the side of his hand which will necessitate his being off work for a couple of weeks.

Nine G.T.R. cars were wrecked at the Timothy St. crossing last Saturday morning when a beam that held the brake on one of the cars was jolted from its position, dragging from Pearson's Crossing, and tearing up Water and Timothy St. crossings and resulting in wrenching the truck off the car and throwing it off the track.

BORN—In town, April 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Miller, a daughter.

MARRIED—At the residence of the bride's father, on March 26, by the Rev. Mr. Moore, Mr. S. H. Shaw to Miss Bella Atkinson, both of Schomberg.

DIED—In North Gwillimbury, March 21, the wife of John Allen, Jr.

Danish troops prepared to defend their country. Germans marched into the capital, Copenhagen, meeting no resistance.

Germany and Denmark signed a mutual non-aggression pact last summer.

The speckled trout season opening date has been advanced from May 1 to April 27. Hon. Harry Nixon, minister of game and fisheries, says there was a

"action equalising reaction" as is true in the field of science. If a central bank puts a little more money at work it must eventually recall that extra credit or the result is inflation or a revaluation of men's stocks and houses, which would be worth more, and their bonds and bank accounts, which would be worth less.

No, social credit has not proved a success in Alberta, but its exponents have not yet admitted that it is unworkable. Instead, they have blamed the banks and the federal government for refusing to co-operate with them, and have proceeded to help the majority of people in Alberta in another way—through the outlawing of debt. Here again, action equals reaction. The legislation which helps debtors hurts creditors, and many of those creditors live right in the province of Alberta. Fortunately for the Aberhart government, however, many creditors live outside the province, in Ontario and Quebec and in every province of the dominion.

A debt-repudiating fairy godmother of a government could not succeed in the province of Ontario, in our opinion, not because we in Ontario are more honest and anxious to pay our debts than the people of Alberta but because a greater proportion of our creditors live with us and because there are probably fewer debtors proportionately in Ontario than in Alberta. Alberta has a debtors' government; Ontario has a creditors' government. It is not a matter of honesty or dishonesty—just democracy or the counting of noses.

Hon. G. D. Conant, Ontario attorney-general, speaking at Cannington last week, said that Allied success might be very doubtful without active participation of the U.S.A. He brought on himself widespread criticism both in Canada and south of the border for this statement, and for saying that Canada should try to bring the United States into the war.

Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain last week declared that Britain was ten times more confident of the outcome of the war than at the beginning.

Hitler "missed the bus" by not striking harder at the start, Mr. Chamberlain said.

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Miss Clarice Brodie of Ottawa, accompanied by Miss Gladys Jones, was home for the Easter vacation.

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McMULLEN ELECTRIC

Some of the mud came in through the window."

"What damage did it do to your house?" asked N. L. Mathews, K.C., clerk and solicitor.

"The only damage was the mud," replied the complainant.

"Can't you get along with your neighbor?" Magistrate Woodliffe asked Atkinson.

"I didn't want his dishwater running on my land."

"How does it affect you?" "They dump water and garbage and it runs over my property."

"Do you use this property?" "For pasture. It is an orchard."

"I think," said the magistrate, "that you are just being nasty. I bind you over in the sum of \$50 to keep the peace for one year."

"Don't throw any more dishwater on his land," he told Smith. "Tell your wife that."

A second charge, that of failing to produce a license, was dismissed when Magistrate Woodliffe produced a letter from Turnbull's sister, in which she stated that accused had a license, which was at home on that day.

Edward Atkinson, Holland Landing, was charged with doing \$2 damage to the house of next-door neighbor, John Smith.

Smith stated that he owned a house next to Atkinson. These two houses are divided by fence. On his side of the fence are a number of feet of ground.

"My wife is accustomed to dump the dishwater out of the window," he said. "On April 4, my wife was getting breakfast. She looked out the window. Mr. Atkinson was shoveling mud against the wall,

Sharon

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Fairbarn of Trafalgar and the Misses Alice and Ruth, Fairbarn of Toronto visited in Sharon on Sunday.

The service at the United church will be held at the usual time next Sunday, 7:30 p.m.

A week from next Sunday, April 21, the girls' club of the church will have charge of the service. Miss Margaret Feckler of Keswick will be the guest speaker of the evening. Sunday-school will be at 10:30 a.m. Everyone is welcome at both services.

Mrs. R. J. Rogers and Master John Rogers left on Monday on a visit to Mrs. Rogers' relatives in New Brunswick.

Mr. Willard Grose and the Misses Gertrude and Kathleen Grose visited Mrs. Grose and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pearson at Brampton on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Fife visited in Toronto on Sunday.

There will be a Red Cross euchre in Sharon hall on Wednesday night, April 17. Playing will commence at 8:30 p.m. Good prizes will be given and tickets will be sold on a box of groceries.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmond Glebe of Toronto visited Mrs. Glebe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Collins, on Sunday.

Quite a crowd from Sharon attended the Red Cross concert at Mount Albert last Friday night.

Holland Landing

The weather is getting more like spring and the snow is nearly gone.

On Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Sheppard and Miss Dorothy attended a birthday party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Ough, Toronto, in honor of Mrs. Ough's father, Mr. C. Lane, formerly of this village. Many friends extend best wishes to Mr. Lane.

"Did anyone see this?" "Several were there."

"Did you complain to any police officers?"

"Yes, Mr. Hill."

"Did he see the mark?" "Yes." Constable Wm. Hill said that the assault was reported to him the next morning. Winch, he said, had a bump and a scratch over the left eye.

"Did Mr. Winch tell you that he made a swing at me?" Smith asked Constable Hill. "Yes," was the reply.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bellar were at home to a few friends on Wednesday evening.

Miss Dorothy Lane of Toronto spent a few days last week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. R. Morning.

Miss Irene Jefferies of Lefroy spent Sunday with her cousin, Miss Joan Pearce.

The service in the United church on Sunday, April 14, will be held at 7 p.m. with Sunday school being held at 1:45 as

Booth got me to get from Mr. Mulligan's bush. I just drew it. I didn't cut it."

"Who's Mr. Mulligan's bush?" asked Mr. Mathews. "North side of Mr. Gordwin's bush."

"How did you get to Mr. Mulligan's bush?" "Through Mr. Gordwin's."

"How much wood have you sold in the last few months?" "I didn't get it out of there."

"How much did you sell?" "I've no idea."

"Where did you get the wood you sold?" "I don't know that has anything to do with the case."

"Go ahead and tell him," interrupted Campbell Line, defence counsel.

"Where did you get it?" asked Mr. Mathews again. "Fifteen cords from Mr. Hunt and a lot on the corner where you all get it."

"Not on Mr. Aylward's?" "No."

"The corner lot whose property is that?" "I don't know. It was sold for taxes."

"It wasn't sold to you?" "No."

"Did you buy any wood?" "Well I haven't got my receipts."

"I didn't ask for any receipts. From whom did you buy it?" "I don't know. I guess I had better get my receipts."

"Can you tell me anywhere else you got wood?" "I got hundreds of cords. It would take a long time to tell you."

To refresh the accused's memory Mr. Mathews read a list of those people to whom he sold the wood.

"Are there any more?" he asked.

"I don't know," answered Foster.

"That comes to a great many cords," commented the crown attorney.

"You are supposed to have a better memory than me," said the accused. "You should know."

Bert Booth testified that he had hired Foster to draw wood for him. He stated that he had made a deal with Mr. Mulligan for three cords and that his brother-in-law had cut it.

When Foster came to draw it Mulligan had taken some of it, so they had to cut more, he said. He didn't actually know the line dividing the two properties.

Sidney Mulligan testified that he had shown Booth where to cut the wood and that there is a clearing that divides his bush from that of Goodwin's.

Mr. Line stated that there was no evidence that accused actually had cut the wood. "I think Booth should have been charged and not Foster. Foster was only hauling for Booth."

"I am quite satisfied," said the magistrate to the accused, "that the wood on your bush is Mr. Goodwin's and was taken from his bush. You knew it was his wood."

Mr. Line pleaded that the magistrate be lenient. Accused, he said, was a poor man with a family and a veteran of the last war. Foster was fined \$5 and costs of \$26.50 or 30 days in jail. Restitution must be made. A second charge, that of receiving stolen goods, was dismissed.

usual.

All are sorry to learn Mrs. A. Hare is on the sick list and hope for a speedy recovery.

LOCAL MARKET

At a large market on Friday afternoon, butter brought 30 cents a pound and eggs 20 to 22 cents a dozen. Chickens were 20 cents a pound.

Apples brought from 25 to 35 cents a six-quart basket. Carrots and onions were 20 cents a six-quart basket.

TORONTO MARKETS

Prices on the Toronto markets on Wednesday for butter, creamery solids, No. 1, were 26½ cents and creamery prints, No. 1, were 27½ to 28 cents a pound. Country dealers were quoted on graded eggs, cases free, delivered to Toronto, for grade A large, 21½ to 22 cents; A medium, 20½ to 21 cents and A pullets, 19½ to 20 cents a dozen.

Prices to the shipper for poultry were: turkeys, young hens, grade A, 10 pounds and over, 24 to 25 cents; geese, grade A, 14 cents a pound; young chickens, 3 to 4 pounds, 16 cents and ducklings, over 5 pounds, 18 to 20 cents a pound.

Weights steers brought from \$6.75 to \$7.40, while butcher steers and heifers were from \$6.25 to \$7.25. Fed calves sold at \$7.50 to \$8.50. Veal calves sold at \$10 to \$10.50 for choice, with common selling downward to \$6.

Off-truck bacon hogs sold at \$8.50 and dressed weight at \$11.50.

HOPE

MOVING BEE BRINGS THREE NEW FAMILIES

The church-school services of the United church will be held at the usual time, 2:30 p.m., on Sunday. It is hoped that the increase in attendance will continue.

The community welcomes three families of new neighbors, the King family, who have moved to the residence of the Morris farm; the Atkins family, who are on Will Stickwood's farm, and the Woodburys, who are on the Hauser farm.

Mrs. M. Tansley, who has been spending the winter months in Newmarket, has returned to her daughter's, Mrs. Auley Breen. Messrs. Floyd Breen and Jack Smith spent the weekend in Toronto.

Mr. S. Boyd motored to Orillia on Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Boyd, who have been spending their honeymoon here.

Mrs. Esther Boyd of Orillia returned with Mr. Boyd on Thursday to spend a holiday here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Pegg and Donald had tea with Mr. and Mrs. A. Trivett at Newmarket on Sunday.

Miss Phyllis Pegg of Newmarket spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. J. Davis.

The Hobby club will meet at the home of Mrs. J. Farr at Sharon on April 16.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Boyd, Mrs. Esther Boyd of Orillia and Mr. and Mrs. W. Fountain of Sharon were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Pegg.

SCHOMBERG

YOUNG PEOPLE PUT ON SUCCESSFUL PLAY

Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn Gould of Maxwell, Ont., visited Mr. and Mrs. John Gould, Sr., one day last week. Mrs. J. Gould has been very ill for some weeks and her son's visit cheered her greatly.

Word was received here last week that a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Sutton of Sudbury. Mrs. Sutton was formerly Miss Margaret Marchant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Marchant.

Mrs. Hague is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Marchant.

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For rent—3 or 4-room heated apartment. All conveniences. Apply Dr. J. C. R. Edwards, phone 31. c3w10

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WANTED TO RENT

Wanted to rent—Moderately sized house, possession May 1. Hardwood floors preferred. Phone ciw10

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For sale—14 suckling pigs. Apply W. F. La Rue, Queensville, Ont. ciw10

For sale—Two, registered Short-horn yearling bulls. Russell Glover, Raventhorpe. *1w10

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For sale—1 aged mare in foal, 1 mare rising 2 years. Phone 1508 Mount Albert. John Doak. *1w10

For sale—Clydesdale stallion, 3 years, dark bay, white face and legs. Registration 29248. Wm. Stevenson, Keswick. *2w9

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SALE REGISTER

Friday, April 12—Postponed auction sale of stock, implements, harness, grain, vehicles, etc. The property of Telford Shanks, lot 23, rear 2, King. Sale at 1 o'clock sharp. No reserve. Terms cash. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. Ed. Reddick, clerk. c2w9

Saturday, April 20—Auction sale of household effects, tools, etc., the property of the late E. H. Brooks, 59 Millard Ave., at 2 p.m. Terms cash. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. c2w10

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Mrs. Wm. E. Rutledge wish to extend their heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes received from their many friends and neighbors during her long illness and the recent sad bereavement.

CHURCHES**THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH**

Pastor
REV. ARTHUR GREER

Sunday, April 11
The pastor at both services.

SPECIAL SERVICE AT SUNDAY-SCHOOL

In an open session service, there will be the dedication and explanation of the beautiful paintings presented to the school.

TENOR SOLOIST

Mr. Murray Huntley

Time: 2:30 p.m.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

PHONE 12

—Miss Edna Edwards, who has been ill the past week, is quite well again.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. King and family of Toronto spent Sunday with Mrs. King's mother, Mrs. Roy Watson.

—Miss Ruby Carruthers of Toronto was the Sunday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Carruthers.

—Mr. and Mrs. Grant Dillane and little son of Toronto were Saturday visitors of Mrs. Dilane's mother, Mrs. C. H. R. Clark.

—Miss Catherine McCaffrey of Toronto spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McCaffrey.

—Mrs. Arthur Duffield and little son, Gerald, of Fort Erie are visiting Mrs. Duffield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Beare, Markham.

—Miss Doris Young of Toronto spent the weekend at her home.

—Mr. Jack West of Toronto was in town over the weekend.

—Mrs. Wm. D. Milne of Green River is spending a week with her niece, Mrs. Stewart A. Beare and Mr. Beare.

—Miss Mary Clark, who has been ill at her home here for the past three weeks, has returned to her home on Monday after spending last week at the Toronto General hospital.

—Mr. Chas. Willis of Sherbrooke, a pilot officer at Trenton, was a Sunday visitor at the homes of Mr. C. F. Willis, Mrs. Roy Watson and Mr. Wilfred Traviss.

—The Easter thank-offering of the Evangeline auxiliary of the W.M.S. was held on Tuesday evening in Trinity schoolroom.

The members were delighted to have as their guest speaker Miss Olive Zeigler, M.A., editor of the Missionary Monthly, whose charming personality and inspiring address captivated all her listeners.

Her subject dealt with the work of the two periodicals, "The Missionary Monthly" and "World Friends."

She paid a fitting tribute to Mrs. Turnbull, the former editor of the magazine, and said that when taking on the work last June there were 50,000 subscribers.

"We all build on the work of someone else," she repeated several times and this applied also to the work of our missionaries in foreign fields—each carrying on the work of her predecessor."

She said that "all material things may be destroyed but the great kingdom of Jesus Christ never, and only as we put our faith in the unchangeable love of Christ, can we hope to bring the world out of the chaos and trouble facing the nations today."

"Only as the principles of love, understanding and good-will are inculcated in the hearts of our children and ourselves can we hope to establish them in the hearts of others."

The double trio under the leadership of Ildy Harris contributed two delightful numbers and a social hour was enjoyed at the close.

Miss Gladys Cockburn was maid of honor and Miss Marjorie Clee, bridesmaid. The former wore a gown of spring green and the latter orchid. They wore similar gowns of lace, with insets of net, full skirts with tight-fitting jackets and small evening hats to match the gowns. They carried Queen Elizabeth roses with light mauve sweet peas and fern and Madam Butterfly roses with pale pink sweet peas and fern in fan-style bouquets. Mr. Harry N. Hurst, brother of the groom, was best man.

Mr. Leon Smith and Mr. John J. Kenniger were ushers.

During the signing of the register Mrs. Austin Reeser sang "The Sunshine of Your Smile," with Mrs. Helen Elmore at the organ.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mrs. Cockburn receiving in a queen's blue printed silk gown with corsage of sweet peas, assisted by Mrs. Hurst in periwinkle blue lace with corsage. A dainty buffet luncheon was served to 50 guests.

For travelling the bride wore a turquoise flower hat, beige coat and black patent shoes and bag.

After a trip to the marathons and Cape Cod coast the couple will reside in Toronto.

Yes, asparagus will soon be in the gardens round about—our first spring vegetable. And we surely would not object to seeing it on the bill of fare. It used to be quite a joke in our family circle every spring when a certain market gardener used so often to come to our door at the noon-hour with asparagus to sell, and always his greeting was, "Want any grass today?"

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Mr. Edgar Ross and family wish to extend their sincere thanks to all friends and neighbors for their many kindnesses and expressions of sympathy, also those who sent flowers during their recent bereavement in the loss of a loving wife and mother.

—The regular meeting of the W.C.T.U. was held at the home of the president, Mrs. Arthur Winn, with Mrs. J. A. Muirhead and Mrs. J. Rowland as assistant hostesses, on Tuesday.

Mrs. D. McIntyre took the devotional exercises. Her topic was prayer and she gave some wonderful examples of God's answer to prayer.

Mrs. Joyce Hill gave her speech on which she had won a silver cup at the Ontario Temperance Federation contest. This was much appreciated.

A dialogue was given under the citizenship department entitled, "The Machinery of Government" by Miss Bertha Neely and Miss I. Scott. "It is only when everyone respects his vote that the will of the whole people can be known, and that real democratic government can become effective," was one of the statements made. The importance of daily prayer at the noon hour was stressed.

A lovely lunch was served and a social time spent.

new spring hats—and aren't they gorgeous? I always did like flowers on hats, and the hats this spring are all flowers—(very little "hat", if you ask me).

The road and bridge committee is getting them busy cleaning up the roads—the roads that so short a time ago were deep ruts edged with solid ice; ruts that or more deep making traffic dangerous at the corners when another car came along. But it's spring now—an cheerio!

Of course, there is still a chill in the air, and we cannot discard winter clothing yet—not lake off the storm-door, and the storm-windows. But we can wear our

FORMER LOCAL GIRL, MRS. F. CONNELL DIES

After a lingering illness Rhea Vonita Atkinson Connell died at her home, 68 Melbourne Ave., Toronto, on Saturday.

Born in Newmarket, she was the only daughter of Mrs. L. Atkinson of Newmarket and the late Mr. Atkinson. She attended the local public and high schools and was a member of the Bank of Montreal staff prior to her marriage to Fred J. Connell. She was in her 41st year.

Owing to her amiable and cheerful disposition, Mrs. Connell made many friends, which was manifested by the large number of beautiful floral tributes.

The funeral service was conducted from her late residence by Rev. S. Edwards of Parkdale United church, Toronto.

Interment was made in Newmarket cemetery.

DECLARES ALL BUILD ON WORK OF OTHERS

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AURORAN WINS ARMY CROWN

Private Bill Hatfield won the middleweight crown of the Canadian expeditionary force last night at Aldershot camp as he defeated Pte. L. Styan of the R.C.A.M.C., who hails from Magog, Quebec. The previous night Hatfield K.O.'d an opponent from Omemee in the semi-finals.

The Canadian team will now meet the Royal army and navy team of the Imperial forces and Aurorans will be rooting hard for Bill to score a win. Hatfield had an enviable record as an amateur in Ontario boxing circles, but until he enlisted in September had been inactive more or less for a couple of years. He played softball and football with the Fleury-Bissell team.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hole of Willowdale and family spent Saturday in Aurora.

Mr. Ben Cox, Jr., of Toronto has been the house guest of Mr. E. D. Bonsteel, Kennedy St., the past few weeks.

Mr. Bert Lynd of Toronto spent the weekend in town.

Mr. Richard Craighead of Montreal is visiting Messrs. Dale and Price King, Yonge St. north.

Mrs. Robert Hulse and Mr. and Mrs. George Hulse of Schomberg spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Ruth Hulse, Wellington St.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Preston of Toronto spent Sunday with Mrs. Preston's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Dunn, Wells St.

Mr. George Smith of South Porcupine spent the weekend with Mr. Harold Petrie, Mosley St.

Mrs. Robert Hodgkinson, Wellington St., entertained on Saturday in honor of her daughter, Jane, who was celebrating her seventh birthday.

Dr. Jessie McBean, who addressed the W.M.S. of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church on Friday night, was entertained prior to the affair by the Misses M. and C. Malloy, Catharine Ave.

Warden Leavens, editor of the Bolton Enterprise, was in town on Sunday.

Mr. L. W. McClellan, who formerly operated Lin-Mac Farms, Yonge St. south, is now located at Five Star Point, near Beaverton, where he will conduct a summer resort.

Mr. Ivan Law of Zephyr was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. Campbell Line of Richmond Hill was in town on business on Tuesday.

Mrs. H. E. Gilroy of Newmarket spent Tuesday afternoon with Miss M. Ough, Victoria St.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fingold and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Rapp of Markdale. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fingold of Mount Forest were also in the party.

Mrs. Clara Taylor and Mr. H. Bridgeman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Hodgkinson on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Teasdale and son of St. Catharines were visiting in town over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Fry, Mr. and Mrs. H. Goodman, Miss Ruth Goodman and Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Webster, Mrs. J. D. Wilcox, Mrs. E. C. Fielding, Mrs. C. Webster, Misses E. and M. Webster, Mrs. H. M. McKenzie and Miss Dorothy McKenzie were among those who attended the tea in honor of Miss Winnifred Perigoe, at the home of Mrs. C. G. Southmayd in Toronto on Saturday.

Mr. George Spence was in Toronto on Tuesday attending the funeral of the late Frederick Lock. Mrs. Fred Lock, Jr., was the former Alice Spence.

HELPS 48TH WIN

In a match played recently at Brighton sports stadium, England, Pte. Wilkie "Harrow" Fleury helped spark his 48th Highlander team-mates to their initial win as they defeated the R.C.R.'s 5-4. Wilkie got two goals and an assist.

ENJOY SOCIAL EVENING

On Monday evening a wide variety of games featured the program at Trinity A.Y.P.A. Ping-pong, euchre, contract and Chinese checkers were played by the members present. Owing to the war it is not expected that the annual deanery dinner of the various A.Y.P.A.'s will be held this year.

AUXILIARY MEETS

The evening auxiliary of Aurora United church met at the home of Miss Mildred Graham, Centre St., on Tuesday evening.

WIN WAY INTO SEMI-FINALS

Delay In Factory Discussions, Hope For Action To-day

DEPUTY-REEVE EXPRESSES CONCERN OVER DELAY IN MEETING

HOPE STILL HELD

No further developments have occurred in regard to the effort to have officials of the Fleury-Bissell company reconsider their decision to move the Aurora plant to Elora. A. N. Fisher, president of the Aurora board of trade, told The Era this week.

On Monday, a committee was selected to deal with the matter, but so far as The Era could learn nothing tangible has occurred. A week ago, the day following the meeting, Mr. Fisher interviewed Mr. McKellar, one of the vice-presidents of the firm, and, it is understood, requested a meeting with other officials and if possible a full meeting of the board of directors of the firm.

The real decision rests with Ross Mackinnon, vice-president at Elora, and the president, H. C. Hatch, it is said. The committee expects to interview Mr. Mackinnon either today or tomorrow.

Deputy-Reeve C. E. Sparks told The Era that he had tried to reach Mr. Mackinnon when he was in town last week, but had learned of his presence here too late to see him.

"I don't like the delay in action," said Mr. Sparks. "I have done my best to bring matters to a head, but little has been done to date so far as I can learn. We must not waste any more time."

In a statement to the press, Mr. Mackinnon stressed the importance of cheap electrical power as one of the main reasons for the change in location. If the company were not able to depend on their source of electrical energy from their dam, an examination of electricity rates would indicate that commercial electricity was slightly dearer in Elora than in Aurora.

W. A. Johnston, former superintendent here, has accepted a position in Niagara Falls, Ont., with a large concern.

A. H. S. WILL HOLD OPEN HOUSE

Friday night will be open house night at Aurora high school and parents, friends of the school and citizens are asked to attend. Principal J. H. Knowles told The Era.

Principal J. H. Knowles is captain of the cadets.

REVISITS HIGH SCHOOL

Mr. Wm. Megill of Ottawa, who assisted for a few weeks on the local high school staff at one time, and was for some years connected with the patents branch of the dominion government, has been in town for a few days this week. On Monday, in company with Mayor J. M. Walton, he visited the high school.

SOLDIER OF 17 RETURNS HOME

Dale King, who last September at the age of 17 joined the Toronto Scottish Regiment, has been honorably discharged from the militia and is home on holiday for a few weeks. He hopes to go overseas later if the war lasts until he is of age to get across the pond.

YOUNGSTERS USE HIGH SCHOOL GYM

Continuing in line with its sports policy until outdoor activities are available, pupils at Aurora public school are trying their hand at basketball and are taking advantage of the facilities offered by the high school gymnasium.

MAYOR EXHIBITS AN 1851 SCHOOL NOTEBOOK

On Monday afternoon Mayor J. M. Walton paid a visit to Aurora high school and exhibited to the upper school mathematics class an old geometry notebook originally owned by pupil at Lashay, Ont., written up in 1851. The penmanship and drawings showed an advanced knowledge of the subject and were in perfect shape. The same principles of mathematics that apply now in geometry were in use then, apparently.

The mayor also showed some old coins, one of the reign of George III, and a tick fountain pen which could be reassembled into several articles, including a pocket knife.

FESTIVAL FLASHES

There is still time to send in your entry for the York Musical Festival, to be held in Aurora the week of May 13. Entries must be in by April 15.

Be sure to fill in the age for "age-limit" classes. Entry fees must accompany the entry in each case.

As soon as the entries are in, work will commence on the program and details will be made known as soon as possible so that those attending may select the sessions that interest them most.

Membership tickets for the whole festival will be available again this year.

The committee is glad to hear from those who are willing to help out with donations, scholarships or advertising. Contributions of this kind are necessary to carry on a festival.

CHOIR MAKES GIFT TO MRS. BOY FIERHELLER

On Thursday evening following choir practice members of Aurora United church choir expressed regret at the loss of Mrs. Roy Fierheller from the choir. Mrs. Fierheller, who is shortly married to Newcastle, Ont., has been a faithful member of the choir for eight years. On behalf of the members Mrs. Cedric Willis presented Mrs. Fierheller with a hymnary.

PLAY FRIDAY

Aurora Tigers play in Kitchener tomorrow against the Siskins in the first of the semi-finals. The return match will be played at Maple Leaf Gardens on either Monday or Tuesday. Watch for the bills.

ASKS CITIZENS TO WATCH FOR BURGLAR

Chief of Police Fisher Dunham has requested The Era to ask householders to be on the lookout for persons calling at their residences asking for someone whose name will probably be unknown.

There have been several break-ins during the past few months and several attempts. The man is believed from all clues given to be a young man about 20-23 years of age, of a slim build, wearing no hat, who takes the above method for an "out" when he finds someone at one home on the premises he is about to enter. Citizens are urged to immediately call the police if such person calls at their residence or is seen in the vicinity.

LIBERAL LADIES WILL HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

The Aurora Women's Liberal Association is holding its annual meeting and election of officers next Tuesday at 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. A. M. Kirkwood, Yonge St. south. All members and friends are requested to be present.

DR. JESSIE MCBEAN ADDRESSES W. M. S.

Dr. Jessie McBean, authority on China and Near Eastern problems and a medical missionary of the Presbyterian church, addressed a meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of St. Andrew's church on Friday evening. Mrs. Duncan McDonald presided over the meeting, while Mrs. D. Miller introduced Dr. McBean to the meeting.

Dr. McBean dwelt upon the history of China and the work of the church there. She lauded the improvements under Chiang-Kshe, and deplored the Japanese depredations which she described in detail.

"China is too big for Japan," she said. "The Nipponese may hold temporary advantages, but in the end it will be age-old China who will be the big power in the east. Japan has spread the false rumor that she came to China to subdue communism, but such is not the case. It was imperialistic greed. We didn't need the Japanese or anyone to help us put down communism in China."

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DOWN THE CENTRE

BRANTFORD BATTLEFIELD

The Lions' Den well describes literally and figuratively the home arena of Brantford's classy junior team, and "Pinkey" Lewis of Owen Sound, whose team took the Brants there last week, must be of the same breed as big-game hunter Frank Buck, old "bring-em-back alive" Buck. Rabid fans we have seen in plenty, but never anything like the Brantford breed, where for the most part it's hardly safe to root for the visitors, and there's never any applause for picture plays by the Lions' opponents.

Anne Sheridan, the "oomph" gal, wouldn't even get a salvo of applause if she was with the visitors.

Tigers lost and we got a "shiner," because we so far forgot ourselves as to resent Brantford epithets and narrow-mindedness. Tigers have lost other games and we haven't said a word in protest. The records show that Barrie fans, we thought, were plenty rabid, but they're only cream puffs to the Lions' supporters.

Tommy Ivanoff, the Brantford coach, told us after the game Tigers were the best team to show in Brantford all season. The Brants were off-color for the Greys game, he explained, and he figured we had a decided edge for speed and cleverness of the Greys' supporters.

Brantford made a plea on deaf ears to all three teams in the lead in the round-robin to be allowed to enter the semi-finals too. They based their claim on the Niagara Falls series, but we pointed out we, too, had eliminated another group winner, Upper Canada Rowdydolls, is explained in Brantford by saying it's all the outcome of the Niagara series, on which they now blame their losses. They also complain of the treatment they get on the road, but frankly we don't believe it. Aurora had no trouble at Waterloo. Owen Sound away and at Maple Leaf gardens. The edge, if any, will be in favor of Aurora on the big ice as the last game partially proved.

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Victoria Square

Most of the roads are now passable for motor traffic and so attendance at church on Sunday was improved. Rev. Mr. Macdonald preached another very impressive sermon, choosing his text from Romans 1: 7, "Called to be saints." The choir sang "From Glory unto Glory" by Charlotte G. Homer.

Y. P. U. on Sunday evening was well attended. Ian Macdonald, citizenship convenor, was in charge of the meeting. Jean Macdonald gave an exceedingly fine address

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THE OLD REFRAIN

BY MAE FOSTER JAY

"Speaking of rights," said Susan nonchalantly, "always demand half the road, Neil — the middle half."

Neil Gower laughed and swerved to the right in time to avoid crowding an approaching car to the shoulder. "With an irresistible pull on my eyes from another direction..."

"Oh, be sure," said the girl, with sweet insolence, "to admire the scenery, or even me. The other drivers will pamper your devotion to art!"

Neil shot an admiring but curious glance at the small, fair-haired, blue-eyed bundle of wrath on the side recently vacated by Mr. Chas. Martin. They are wished every happiness in their new home.

Neighbors are glad to welcome Rev. Mr. and Mrs. McCausland into the community. Mr. McCausland is a retired Baptist minister and they have taken up residence on the property formerly owned by George Leuceray.

Tickets are now in circulation for the Toll Brothers' Travologue on May 7 in the United church and may be purchased from any member of the choir.

Rev. Mr. Macdonald will have charge of the service at the United church on Sunday. Everyone is welcome at Sunday-school and church. The choir is taking a two weeks vacation in order to give the soloists an opportunity to perform. R. E. Sanderson will sing next Sunday.

VANDORF

LADIES WILL HOLD TEA BISCUIT CONTEST

Wesley Y.P.U. visited Aurora United church Y.P.U. on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Scott visited Mr. and Mrs. Chester Graham on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Carr of Toronto were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Carr and Mabel.

Mrs. Ralph Mills spent the weekend in Toronto.

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. W. A. McDonald on Wednesday afternoon, April 17. The topic, "The economic and social value of a garden," will be given by Mrs. E. Foster. Roll-call will be "A characteristic of a good homemaker." A contest will be held on tea biscuits, and there will be election of officers and current events by Mrs. F. Avis. The hostesses are Mrs. G. Preston, Mrs. E. Foster and Mrs. M. Fines.

The death of the late Mrs. Edgar Rose, who for some time has been in very poor health, occurred last Thursday at their home in Mount Albert. There was a short service at Wesley church, conducted by Rev. W. A. Westcott and this was largely attended. The floral tributes were many and beautiful. The pallbearers were Harry Sproxton, Ralph Willis, Wm. Kingdon, Jas. Oliver and Loy and Robert Carr.

Those left to mourn her loss are her husband, two sons, Carmen and Garnet, and one daughter, Mrs. Moreley Andrews and four grandchildren.

Interment took place at Pine Orchard cemetery.

Before her marriage the late Mrs. Rose was Janey Hartman. She was in her 53rd year.

A subscription to The Era will make a friend happy.

THE OLD REFRAIN

BY MAE FOSTER JAY

wreck, ran into a near-by thicket of young scrub oak. There she threw herself upon the ground, hoping to overcome the nervous chill which shook her. A long time she lay there. Finally, a commotion in the underbrush attracted her. She looked up.

A thrush was pushing her pin-taunting fledgling from the nest. The procedure seemed to take Susan's attention entirely from her own misfortune until Neil's return, and even during the ride home in a hired car. She spoke only to ask, as they alighted, "What will your father say?"

"He'll be reasonable."

Dr. Gower was. The chief concern with him and Mrs. Gower was that Neil and Susan were all right. Susan, however, could not help seeing the distress in their eyes which went deeper than damages to their automobile. They seemed worried.

Neil himself plainly was miserable. His defenses, his apologies seemed woefully inadequate. He seemed vastly relieved when some young people dropped in.

About 8:30, when they turned in, a new orchestra on the radio, Dr. and Mrs. Gower went upstairs to the two comfortable chairs they had moved up into their bedroom. They were finishing the evening paper when Susan tapped at the door. "You," she said, "wanted to hear the president's address!"

"Oh, well! It will be in the morning papers," Dr. Gower moved on to his study.

"We all should listen to it," Susan said.

"I mentioned that to Neil. But he says he couldn't stand it. The boy's nerves really are in a bad way. And yours, dear?"

"May I stay here?" asked Susan.

Two hours later, Dr. Gower returned just as Neil came upstairs, his equanimity restored.

"She needn't be so tight," Neil laughed lightly.

"Everybody. Neil is economizing these days. Even millionaires. For instance, Senator Herrick told my father he was having to close his estate in the hills near our place, and look for a smaller house in town. And I know your mother is legitimately worried—with the farm running behind, your father's salary at the university cut, and the royalties from his textbook not coming in. With banks failing all—"

"And Dad, the poor egg, leaving his account in the university bank!"

"'Patriotism,'" said Susan softly. "His faith-in-our-institutions line that he preaches to his economics classes sounds noble. But—he has to live, does he not?"

"But if everyone—"

"Let's not talk about everyone. Let's talk about us. That's why I grabbed the car, Susan. I had to ask you—tell you—Susan, will you marry me?"

An intake of breath, then the girl said evenly, "Ask me, say, in five years."

"Silly!"

"You are. Why, you haven't a job! Won't be able to get one until times are better, and possibly not then."

"Depression!" cried Neil, hotly, and his foot pressed down the accelerator. Speed. Susan had noticed, seemed to be the only available outlet for the emotions pent up within him. "I'm fed up on the depression. A fine heritage we youngsters fell into!" Deprived of our normal opportunities—

"So many have to forego even education, Neil."

"Oh, I've finished college. But I've sat around a year. Marking time! I — I can't stand it!"

"What else can you do?"

He leaned his head toward her. "Marry you, now. We're wasting the best time of our lives, dear. I've a \$1,000 in the bank. It will be mine tomorrow, when I'm 21. Honeymoon funds!"

Her lips quivered as Susan cast a swift glance at her companion.

He was so good to look at—dark-haired, sturdy, clean, sweet, except for that growing defiance in him. Everyone in the college town adored Dr. Gower's boy, Neil.

"And what?" asked Susan shyly, "would we do when the honeymoon was over?"

"Come home. It wouldn't be any different. You could go in with your studies. I'd wait for an engineering job—"

"Neil, why don't you go in with the Mauer Company, as your father suggests? Even if they can't pay you? You could get experience—and prevent this restlessness."

"You're hedging, sweet," triumphantly. "I'm telling Dad and Mother tonight!"

Neil was racing with a locomotive now. "It breaks the monotony for the engineer," he chuckled at Susan's taunt mouth.

"And I suppose the natives of this hamlet," as a man leaped across the road, "can climb a telephone pole or run into a cellar to keep from being hit!"

Neil did not answer, but his eyes twinkled. Just before they reached a curve near the top of a hill, he turned out to pass a car. Another, emerging around the curve, had efficient brakes, and so there was no collision. Not far ahead, however, at an intersection there were sudden screams, screeching of brakes, a terrific impact—and then Susan and Neil climbing out through the windows of a car upside down in a ditch.

"Do you always run past stop signs?" an outraged voice greeted them. "You two were lucky, that's all! If I hadn't swerved my car to the left, either the young lady or I would have been killed by an engine climbing onto us!"

Neil was looking at the crumpled fenders and dented sides of the car he had side-swiped. "Send—send your bill to my father," he managed.

Dr. Gower's name was pleaching.

"Get in," said the stranger, "and I'll take you to the town ahead for a wrecker."

Susan, turning from the accusing

"Well! Won't that make a honey of a house for your father and mother?"

"What is this madness?" tightly.

"Commonsense. Life will be so much easier and simpler for your folks now."

"And...oh, holly, what about us?"

"What does this do to us?"

Susan made a neat pile of napkins. "Not a thing. I'm going to help Mrs. Heffick. Your old shop in the garage will make you a nice room."

"Oh! How about our getting married?"

"But," wide-eyed, "how could we? Now?"

"That," passionately, "is the question. It isn't right! It isn't fair! I won't stand it! I have a right to live my own life."

"Neil!" A brief silence fell as Susan's hand tightened, relaxed,

and tightened upon the napkins.

"Why don't you live it then?" demanded Susan.

"Isn't that what I'm trying to do?"

Susan faced him determinedly.

"Live your own life? You? Why, Neil, somebody has to look out for you at every turn? You—you take the car and go out and burn up the highway thinking you are smart modern youth having its rights. You'd be killed in every mile if the general public didn't save your life by assuming responsibility for your irresponsibility. It's your right to smash the car—and your father's to pay for it! You monopolize the radio and the house—until your father and mother are driven to the outposts of their bedroom for their rights to a little quiet."

"And now you'd marry me, and bring me home to live on them—saddle them with the care of children? Oh, I know all about that! It happened in my own home, when Aline left her husband because she didn't like the color of his neckties or something, and brought her baby home just when Dad had thought he could retire and Mother was at last able to pursue her own interests. Now she takes care of a baby, and Dad's little savings are dwindling twice as fast as they should, because Aline had a right to live her own life! You sing the same old refrain I was brought up on—"

"Susan! You can't talk to me this way!"

Susan turned back to her packing.

"I have, haven't I?"

Neil wheeled. "Good-by!"

"Where—are you going, Neil?"

"To the bank!" he blazed. "I'll draw out my money! It's my own! I can do with it as I please. I'll show you! I'll show you all!"

He rushed from the house to the business district, turned toward the bank, halted. A line of people extended from the bank doors a block down the street.

No, he could not stand there! He rushed toward the lake, ran out to the end of a pier, picked up a handful of pebbles and threw them swiftly into the waves below. His mother's inference burned in his memory. He knew what his mother had meant when she had said it would be nice for him to live his own life; then she and Dad could live theirs!

His hand went up to his face. It felt so uncannily as though it had been slapped! He watched the surging waters, but saw only that milling panic-stricken crowd of people swarming the bank doors. That crowd seemed to slap him.

"The end."

For me? All I did was to report a little observation on domestic institutions in the feathered world!"

"Of course," agreed Dr. Gower, returning from a conference with carpenters. "It was a bird, wasn't it? A little bird that started it."

The end.

surely. A right... The pebbles fell more slowly,

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The attendance at the services is growing, and all hope it will continue to grow, as the weather and roads improve.

The services will be held as usual next Sunday with Sunday-school at 1:45 and the church service at 2:45. The services change on April 21st with Sunday-school being held at 10:45 and evening service being held at 7:30.

The prayer meeting this Friday evening will be held in the church.

The Dorcas meeting was postponed until April 17, owing to muddy roads.

Mr. McAsh had tea Saturday at the home of Mr. Irvine Rose. Mr. Bruce Love spent Friday and Saturday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose visited in Richmond Hill Sunday.

Miss Irene Hazel is helping Mrs. B. Plummer for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. David Love spent Sunday evening at the home of Wm. Andrews and reports Mrs. Andrews is very ill. A speedy recovery is hoped for.

Brownhill

Spring is here at last and Mr. Robin is back with us with his welcome song.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Green and son from Lemonville were visiting Mrs. Green's mother, Mrs. J. Sedore, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Sedore and family went to Toronto on Sunday to visit Mr. Sedore's mother in the hospital. All are sorry to hear she is not so well.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Crowder were guests at Mr. R. Crouch's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. King of Roche's Point were visiting Mr. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. King on Sunday.

Friends are sorry to hear that one of their old neighbors, Mr. W. Sedore, is in the Toronto General Hospital. All hope he will soon be back again.

It was a pleasant surprise to see so many out to church on Sunday, in view of the bad roads.

PEPPER AND SALT
By "PEP"**RECALLS DAYS OF BOYHOOD ON SIMCOE**

With the Stanley Cup business now tied up at two games, not even a political ward-heeler (if we had such Americanisms) could snaffle a pair of passes to the remaining games. Tuesday night, the Leafs showed that they really have what it takes to make the grade and as a good half dozen scribes have said, "if the Rangers are a wonder team, what does that make the Leafs?" Unless I miss my guess, the series will go the limit of seven games. And obeying the urgings of my inner conscience, or maybe it's my sixth sense, I pick the Rangers as ultimate winners.

All Newmarket interests in the National Hockey League and any other puck and stick league for that matter have suspended operations for another summer. For those who can afford it, that balmy season is a time for baseball, golfing, and, in the exceptional case of Bingo the Stingo Kampman, a time to drive trucks and acquire muscles. It won't be long before the N.H.L. derby gets under way once more and if it wasn't for the fact that ice, snow and red underwear ride saddle on it, this reporter would like an ever continued hockey schedule.

High school sports are now mainly concerned with rounding up loose basketball ends. The senior girls won the North York crown a few weeks ago by defeating Richmond Hill. At present their only engagements are of the exhibition variety. The girls are trying hard to find a basketball sextette that can extend them. Orangeville was unable to do it last Friday in a game played in that distant centre and lost by some such score as 49-17. With a little luck to look after the incidentals, the girls could give Edmonton Grads a terrific struggle—stop me if I exaggerate.

This one should come under a Ripley "Believe it or Not" column. Last weekend some of the more optimistic skiers in this burg ventured out to the club hills, and reported good skiing. They must have been about the only southern Ontarioists on hickories at that late date.

From indications thus far proceeding from the south, the 1940 edition of the Toronto Maple Leaf baseball club is one of the best in a long time. If it lives up to advance indications it will certainly get ample fan support.

A good number of Newmarket fans were interested in the Leafs last year and probably more are on the way this annum. You really have to see a couple of games before you get to like this summer sport. I for one hope the Leafs have a goodly portion of comph.

Ravenshoe

(By Jim Pickering, S.S. 9, E. G.)

Mr. Ross Crowder of Toronto spent the weekend at Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Crowder's.

On April 17 the W.M.S. is going to have the postponed supper at the Ravenshoe church.

Miss B. Atkinson and Mr. Clifford Gordon visited Mr. and Mrs. G. Micks, Sharon, on Sunday, April 7.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed (nee Cora Graham) on the birth of a baby daughter on Monday, April 8th.

Mr. George Forsythe has returned after a month's holidays at his son's in Port Dalhousie. He is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Caron Graham, St. Anne's, en route.

Mrs. Allan Crocker has returned from the city after a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Pollard and Lloyd were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. J. Cole's last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Rose entertained Mr. McAsh on Saturday for supper and the evening.

Mr. McAsh had tea Saturday at the home of Mr. Irvine Rose. Mr. Bruce Love spent Friday and Saturday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose visited in Richmond Hill Sunday.

Mr. Alvin Walker and his aunt, Mrs. H. Webster, of Toronto, spent the weekend in Zephyr.

Mrs. R. Harman entertained a few ladies on Saturday evening.

Miss Hornby and Miss Madill had tea with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Horner on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmot Lake of Vachell visited Mr. and Mrs. H. Pickering one day last week.

The Women's Institute will be held in the community hall on Wednesday, April 17th. Roll call, community needs; current events; Mrs. F. Curl, Mrs. H. Squires; program committee, Mrs. T. Meyers, Mrs. E. Walker.

There will be an election of officers. The hostesses are Mrs. A. Arnold, Mrs. Bartlett, Mrs. Carl Meyers and Miss Lorna Rae.

Mr. Gladstone Marritt, Miss Doreen Marritt and Miss Margaret Marritt of Hamilton visited Mr. William Marritt over the weekend.

Mrs. Alph Link is visiting in this district.

The Women's Association of the United church held their monthly meeting last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Frances Morton led the devotional part of the meeting. Mrs. Fockler gave the Bible reading and Mrs. Jud Cole read the explanation of the Bible passage. Miss Joy Marritt was pianist. Mrs. Dan McGovern presided over the business meeting. Arrangements were made for the Plummett supper which is to be held on May 2. This will be an outstanding supper.

BELHAVEN

There was a good attendance at the Red Cross concert held in Belhaven community hall on Monday night considering the condition of the roads, showing the interest which is being taken in Red Cross work.

The council met on Monday morning and closed at noon to honor ex-reeve Chas. Willoughby. The council attended the service in a body. Mr. Willoughby was a well-known and highly respected citizen of the township.

It was a pleasant surprise to see so many out to church on Sunday, in view of the bad roads.

There will be a very delicious and varied menu, and an interesting program and colored moving pictures.

A very delicious supper followed the meeting, being served from 5:30 p.m. on to a large crowd. Mrs. W. Davison was convener of the supper committee. Members of her committee were, Mrs. Percy Mahoney and Mrs. Arnold. Those who waited on tables were Miss Erma Hurst, Miss Lillian Sedore, Miss Gladys Snithers, Mrs. Lloyd Pollock and Mrs. Orley Hayes. The helpers were Mrs. N. Shortreed, Mrs. Perry Winch, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Pegg, Mrs. Grant and Mrs. Jud Cole.

Those from distant points taking part in the concert were Major Elwin Watson, of Toronto, a field secretary of the Canadian Red Cross Society, and Gleason Rigler and Mrs. Lay, Rev. C. E. Fockler in charge and spoke of the place of the church in the war-torn world. Mrs. Ethan Morton played the piano. Mr. Davison was chairman of the program. Mrs. Ethan Morton and Miss Marjorie Glover played a number of duets in a very acceptable manner.

Major Watson was then introduced. He spoke first on the work of the Red Cross Society. An immense amount of comforts had been sent to the troops in the land, air and sea forces. Especially the sailors had appreciated these comforts which had made their life bearable. The Red Cross has a large amount of material made by the women of the Canadian Red Cross stored in its warehouses ready for any emergency. Major Watson cleared up many points about the Red Cross, saying emphatically that no supplies of the Canadian Red Cross were sold in the last war. The society had no facilities for the sale of material.

Mr. Rigler gave well rendered selections on the violin, accompanied capably by Mrs. Lay.

Major Watson then delighted the audience by first saying he felt right at home at Keswick, as he was born and brought up at Bradford, and had travelled on Lake Simcoe on the old "Enterprise," a steamboat that had once been on the lake on a regular route.

He told the story of a night spent on Keswick shore in company with three friends who were on a sailing trip, in a manner that convulsed his audience. Major Watson has a rare gift for giving selections in the dialects of the Scotch, English, Irish and French, which he displayed in his stories and readings. After giving the historical background of the relations of France and England, and the battle which gave Canada to Great Britain, he spoke about the wonderful people and beautiful scenery of Quebec. Selections from Dr. Drummond's books of French-Canadian verse were then marvelously given.

The Misses Betty Fisher and Betty Morton sang two duets in costume, very charmingly. They were accompanied by Mrs. Ethan Morton.

Mr. Rigler sang "The Road to Mandalay" and "Homing," accompanied by Mrs. Lay at the piano.

Miss Florence Drake of Holland Landing spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Miller.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. J. Thoms on the birth of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and family of Uxbridge are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tonkinson.

Friends are sorry to hear that Mrs. W. Andrews is very sick, but hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Giles of Pefferlaw spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Foster.

Mrs. Walker, who fell and broke her hip, has been moved from St. Joseph's hospital, Toronto, to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Hodging, and friends wish her a quick recovery.

Mr. Bill Draper visited friends in Toronto on Friday.

Mrs. L. B. Pollock had a shower on Tuesday for her niece, Miss Muriel Davidson, of Newmarket, whose marriage to Mr. Max Stiles will take place in April.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner of London visited at Mr. Bill Draper's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Armitage of Markham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. I. Waldon.

Holt

Several have tapped their maple trees and a good run of sap is predicted this year.

The community extends its sympathy to Mrs. R. F. Cunningham in the death of her sister, Mrs. W. E. Rutledge, of Newmarket and Mr. Carman Rose, on the death of his mother, Mrs. Ed. Rose.

Rev. L. Slingerland left last week for Frankford and Montreal, where he is engaged in special meetings for a few weeks.

Mr. Eddie Cunningham of Milverton spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. John Hogg.

Mr. Hornick, a student teacher of the Toronto Normal school, spent last week at Holt school.

Miss Beatrice Gibney and Miss Bertha Perry spent last Tuesday in Toronto.

Mr. Fred Thompson, Misses Evelyn and Freida Thompson, Mrs. Walter Couch and sons spent Sunday at Torrance with Mr. Walter Couch.

Miss Pauline Sinclair spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watts.

Miss Etoile Rutledge of Richmon Hill spent the weekend at her home here.

Cedar Brae

The men of the community are very busy getting the buzz-sawing completed.

The roads is this part of the township are comparatively good for this time of the year.

Mrs. Wesley Taylor spent one day last week in Toronto.

Mrs. Walter Sedore, who has been in the hospital in Toronto, has returned to her home here. Her condition, however, is not much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kay spent Tuesday in Newmarket.

KESWICK**C. E. WILLOUGHBY**
WAS REEVE FOR EIGHTEEN YEARS

Charles E. Willoughby, a well-known figure in the affairs of North Gwillimbury, died on Friday, April 5, at his Keswick home after a long illness.

A private funeral service was held at the house on Monday afternoon, and a public service at the United church, where Mr. Willoughby had been an active member, with Rev. C. E. Fockler in charge and delivering the funeral address. Interment was made at Queensville cemetery.

Many beautiful floral tributes were received from friends and relatives and also from the township of North Gwillimbury, the warden and commissioners of York County, the Eastern Star organization, L.O.B.A., Rebekahs, Lakeside W.I. and the City Dairy Company.

Mrs. Willoughby's niece, Mrs. Brown, sang "The Holy City." Pallbearers were: Ernest Morton, Mabel Morton and two daughters, Muriel at home, and Mrs. Carson Pollock of Island Grove, all of whom have the deep

sympathy of many friends in the loss of a dearly loved and devoted husband and father.

Also surviving is one brother, Howard, and six grandchildren.

For 24 years Mr. Willoughby was in township work, four years as assessor, two years as councilor and 18 years as reeve. In 1919 he was warden of York County.

A large crowd attended the funeral. Among them were county officials, including Earl Bales, York County warden; Stanley Osborne and Hugh Donnell, county commissioners; H. C. Rose, county engineer; J. D. Lucas, county solicitor and R. J. Phillips, chief of county police; also four ex-wardens and several former county councillors. North Gwillimbury council attended in a body.

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Mr. Willoughby was born on the home farm near Keswick, where he spent a greater part of his life farming, later moving to Island Grove, which property he owned. He was the first postmaster in the Island Grove area.

He leaves his widow (formerly Mabel Morton) and two daughters, Muriel at home, and Mrs. Carson Pollock of Island Grove, all of whom have the deep

**MOUNT ALBERT
ILL FOR A LONG TIME,
MRS. E. ROSE DIES**

Mrs. Robt. Boag spent the weekend in Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sedore of Scott were visitors this week at the home of Mrs. Sedore's mother, Mrs. H. Rolling.

After a lingering illness, Mrs. Edgar Rose passed away at her home on Wednesday of last week.

Janey Harman was born in East Gwillimbury but spent most of her life in Whitchurch township, near Pine Orchard. She and her husband farmed for five years in Scott, leaving there to return to Boggartown. Last fall they sold out and retired, coming to live on the townline.

She married Edgar Rose 33 years ago, and he, with their family, Carman of Holt; Garnet

of Aurora; and Irene (Mrs. Andrews) of Queensville; a sister, Mrs. Gordon Stevens of Pine Orchard and a brother, Geo. Harman of Ringwood, survive.

The funeral took place on Friday from the home where a short service was taken by Rev. R. V. Wilson and then at Wesley church where Rev. W. A. Westcott took the service. The burial was at Pine Orchard cemetery. Mrs. Rose was a member of Wesley church, also the Ladies' Aid there and was loved by all who knew her.

The W.M.S. quilting bee held on Wednesday at the church was well attended in spite of the bad weather, and four quilts were completed. A very nice tea was served, to which a number came in, and the ladies realized around \$14 for their work.

Mr. Horace Brown has moved into Mr. E. Waggs' house on the north farm and is working for

Mr. Waggs.

Geo. Green is to be the new caretaker at the cemetery, chosen by the grounds committee.

The committees put in for

sports day, June 1, are asked to get bus and get their programs ready as soon as possible. It is hoped to make this year the best yet.

The Red Cross concert held in the hall on Friday evening was a decided success. The East Gwillimbury concert company is to be congratulated on the fine program given by the little dancers and the piano soloist, those who sang solos and duets, the elocutionist, the glee club, the instrumental duets and the short skit. The one-act play should be worthy of a prize when it comes to the dramatic festival. The large audience which filled the hall enjoyed the evening and showed their hearty approval by the splendid order. The proceeds amounted to around \$17, which will be a great help to this worthy work.

SCOTT TOWNSHIP

**ROAD APPROPRIATION
REDUCED TO \$7,500**

Scott township council held its regular monthly meeting on Saturday, April 6. All members were present.

Communications were read from R. D. Ruddy, advising of admission of a patient to the Hospital for Sick Children, and one transferred from the Toronto General Hospital to the Hospital for Incurables and also stating that the Toronto General Hospital was threatening to sue for a certain hospital account.

A letter from the secretary of the county old age pension board inquired about increasing the pension to one who has applied for same. A letter from the social services branch of the Toronto General Hospital asked for permission to transfer a Scott township indigent patient to a convalescent hospital. Another letter was read from the department of public health regarding tubercular patient, W. Oxtoby sent the school attendance report for January, February and March. E. A. Innes sent the account for caretaker of the Uxbridge high school during the short course.

The department of highways sent a letter with a statement of the amount of 1939 road expenditures allowed for subsidy, and also notifying that the amount of appropriation for road expenditures accepted by the department has been reduced to \$7,500.

Council authorized the clerk to secure a full supply of Revised Statutes 1937 and statutes enacted since. To conform with the expressed wish of the health department, a by-law was passed confirming the appointment of Dr. G. W. Macpherson as medical officer of health and indigent medical officer.

Mr. Bain of the A. E. Wilson & Co. insurance office was in attendance on council, explaining some extra coverages given by his company's policies. Council decided to renew the insurance with A. E. Wilson & Co. with a rate lowered in accordance with the lesser mileage of township roads.

Accounts passed were: road accounts, \$927.09; E. A. Innes, \$6.65, toward caretaking short course; School Section 2, \$352.55, balance school monies; School Section 6, \$159, on school monies; Mrs. Bartlett, \$10, relief supplies; Theaker & Son, \$13, ambulance; Dr. Macpherson, \$14.58, March salary; M. O. H.

Council adjourned to meet on Saturday, May 4, at 1:30 p.m.

Glenville

Mr. and Mrs. George Hartman spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sharpe's.

Mrs. Angus Morrison of Toronto spent the weekend at the home of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Keffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. George and Mary spent Sunday at Mr. Chas. Somerville's.

Miss Nelle Brown of Toronto visited at Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lewis'.

Mrs. Harry Harris and Jimmy are visiting in Toronto this week. Miss Laurene Keffer was a visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Oval Parker on Sunday.

Pleasantville

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ridley were Sunday tea guests at the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carlfield in Aurora.

Miss S. McQueen had Sunday night tea at the home of Mrs. Gordon McClure.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Forbes of Toronto spent the weekend with Mrs. Forbes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Toole.

Mr. Irvin Morton and Mr. Orley McClure motored to Oakwood on Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Morton.

The Pleasantville girls' club will meet this week at the home of Miss Irene Harper.

Several from here attended the play sponsored by Pine Orchard club in the old hall last Friday night. It was well presented. The title was "The Path Across the Hill."

On March 31 Mr. and Mrs. George Hunt entertained for their grandchild, little Miss Edith Kay. It was her fourth birthday anniversary. Those present included Mr. and Mrs. R. Patterson and June of Newmarket, Mr. and Mrs. I. Kay and little Norman, Mrs. N. Kay and Master Lorne.

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**EAST GWILLIMBURY
ASK MORE INSPECTORS
TO END CORN-BORER**

A resolution requesting county council to appoint more inspectors due to the fact that corn-borer is increasing in the county of York and becoming a menace to the corn crop, was passed by East Gwillimbury township council at their regular monthly meeting in Sharon hall on Saturday, with all members present. The resolution requested that more inspectors be have all the old cornstalks destroyed before young larvae emerge.

Carpenter Rolling's tender to haul crushed gravel at 32 cents a cubic yard was accepted. It specified that the trucks must be insured for public liability and property damage and the gravel was to be delivered in the township where required. The contract to supply tractor power for the Adams grader for maintenance and construction work was given to Allan Mount at \$1.25 per hour.

The township roads were re-insured for public liability with Lloyd's of London at a premium of \$180.50. Horace Pearson is the agent. The council was resolved in committee of the whole to inspect roads. The treasurer was asked to pay the school boards the balance of the 1939 school levies, amounting to \$9,525.

Other accounts were paid as follows: Mount Albert Telephone Company, \$29.35; E. Strasier & Son, ambulance, \$5; Hospital for February and March, \$132.94; J. E. Jardine, salary, \$70; J. L. Smith, salary, \$100; L. J. Fair, relief salary, \$10; W. T. Huntley, stamps, \$15.

Relief accounts: Bedford Sedore, \$34; Chainway Stores, \$9; Mrs. Jackson, \$10; Arcade Store, \$1; Fiddell Bros., \$22.50; F. Cunningham, \$3; Frank Cunningham, \$2.50; W. Parker, \$10; W. Selby, \$4; G. Bailey, \$5; A. Woodcock, \$7; W. Bannerman, \$2; Hillsdale, \$1.50; Ed. Travis, \$14; Dominion Stores, \$13.25; J. Sutherland, \$14; Ideal Market, \$45; S. C. Sheppard, \$122.33; W. G. Stickwood, \$2; A. P. Stores, \$55.50; J. E. Coombs, \$2; Thos. Foster, \$3; Mrs. F. West, \$4; Geo. Price, \$12.50; Bradford Bargain House, \$2; D. J. Davidson, \$7; I. Leppard, \$2; Newmarket Dairy, \$22.18; A. E. Ganton, \$14; K. Ross, \$174.31.

Mrs. C. W. Davison, \$5; Geo. Longhurst, \$2; I. Arnold, \$5; J. Davis, \$2; G. Knowles, \$1.65; Loblaw's, \$20; W. A. Burkholder, \$30; S. R. Goodwin, \$15.07; M. Pegg, \$18.75; I. Erb, \$38.75; F. Rowe and Son, \$28.75; J. W. Knott, \$26; Geo. Goodwin, \$62.50; G. B. Thompson, \$19; Leslie Graves, \$4;

E. R. Fry, \$22; F. McLeod, \$23.60; Geo. Harrison, \$4; J. Wernham, \$4; Newmarket Farmers Co-operative, \$11; Wilson Motor Service, \$6.75; P. Appleherk, \$5; J. Spiloff, \$3.05; F. Pearson & Son, \$26.35; Geer & Byers, \$27; F. Milne, \$7.50; E. Lunau, \$1; H. E. Ross, \$20; Robt. Davis, \$6.25; McDowell's, \$4; N. Fry, \$10.

Road accounts: advertising, \$4.80; supplies, \$29.86; snow, \$1.418.63; superintendent, \$85.

The meeting adjourned to meet again May 4 at 10 a.m.

BELHAVEN

**MRS. WM. WINCH IS
NEW W. I. PRESIDENT**

On Tuesday afternoon the Women's Institute held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Boles.

The popular president, Mrs. Harry Horner, was absent through illness. Mrs. Thomas Horner occupied the chair in her usual able manner.

The members were glad to have the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Harvey King, with them again after her illness. There was a good report of the year's work given and also a splendid paper on character by Mrs. Bernadette.

Mrs. Harold Winch read a paper on peace. Officers for the coming year were elected: president, Mrs. Wm. Winch; vice-presidents, Mrs. Harry Horner, Mrs. Erwin Winch, Mrs. Cecil Prosser and Mrs. Thomas Horner; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. F. A. Lockie; auditors, Miss O. Williamson, Mrs. E. Nelson; district director and pianist, Miss Winnie Willoughby; press corr., Mrs. Wm. Winch.

The next meeting in May will be held in the hall. It is hoped to have Mrs. Wm. Pollard give a talk on cheerfulness. The roll-call will be "What are the grand essentials of happiness?"

Cedar Valley

Little Lorene Brummer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brummer, won first prize in the baby contest held at Bell's Drug store on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Winger are moving to Newmarket and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Brandon are moving into their house.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Troyer are moving into the Fogal house.

Misses Ruth Armitage and Edith Shropshire visited Miss Margaret Bosworth on Sunday.

Reference: Bert McCaffery.

Holland Landing

The Toronto Star royal tour film will be shown in the United church, Holland Landing, Thursday evening, April 11, at 8 p.m.

The supper previously announced in connection with this program has been cancelled.

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**LANDSLIDE FILLS UP
YONGE ST. HIGHWAY**

A landslide filled up the Yonge St. highway on top of the hill in front of De La Salle College, south of Aurora, early Tuesday. A great pile of snow, ice and earth fell into the highway from the west bank. Only a narrow passage on the east side of the road remained for traffic. The highway department spent all day Tuesday clearing up the mess.

Surviving her are a daughter, Mrs. Viola MacDonald of Victoria, three grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren, as well as many nieces and nephews in Ontario.

QUEENSVILLE

**VILLAGE HAS MORE
CASES OF MUMPS**

The Queensville Red Cross concert, which it has been necessary to postpone several times, will be held in the Queensville United church Sunday-school rooms on Tuesday night, April 16, at 8 p.m.

The concert will consist of musical and elocution numbers and will include a one-act play titled "Buddy Answers An Ad," to be given by the Sharon Junior Farmers' club. This play is to be entered in the drama festival in Newmarket next week and comes highly recommended.

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**SAY FARMERS SOLD
ON RAIL GRADING**

With Canada producing a large percentage of the bacon for the British market, the department of agriculture has been stressing the production of a good quality product to maintain or improve on the pre-war standard of this commodity in the hope that this will entice Canada to maintain a preferred position in that coaxed market after the war.

A series of meetings was held by each agricultural society in the county at which W. P. Watson of the Ontario Livestock branch explained the bacon situation with reference to amounts and prices on the market after the war.

On the last Sunday in the month, April 28, Roy Wemp will be the speaker at the regular monthly evening meeting in the Strand theatre on the subject, "Can the Dictators Beat Britain?"

Those who heard Miss Harturz a week ago Sunday evening, and saw the splendid lantern slides illustrating her lecture, are still talking of her wonderful interpretation of the prophetic verses in scripture concerning the final goal.

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Bramford: goal, Wilson; defence, Cheetham and Torti, centre; Strongman: wings, Brewster and Butcher; alternates, Kennedy, Picton, Aslin, Reiss, Campbell.

Referee, Gordon "Beef" McKay.

**HONOR DEFEATED
CANDIDATE AT DINNER**

The first defeated candidate ever to be banquetted by the North York Conservative Association, Rev. Capt. Geo. M. Dix was given a complimentary banquet in the King George hotel on Wednesday evening of last week.

"I know several reasons why I was not successful at the polls, but the major one was the conscription bogy which the North York Liberals circulated in a whispering campaign," said Capt. Dix.

LEOS DEFEAT TIGERS

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The home team drew away despite Cumming's second goal. Play was now obviously out of hand. The period ended Brampton 10, Aurora 2.

The third period saw both teams score twice as play was fairly even in a grueling battle of bodies and sticks. Brennan, after absorbing a going over by the Lions' defense, retaliated when Cheetham came back down, but got the gate and then the grabbed Referee

McKay in protest only to get a misconduct penalty. McComb's goal was a well-earned effort but pleasant.

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